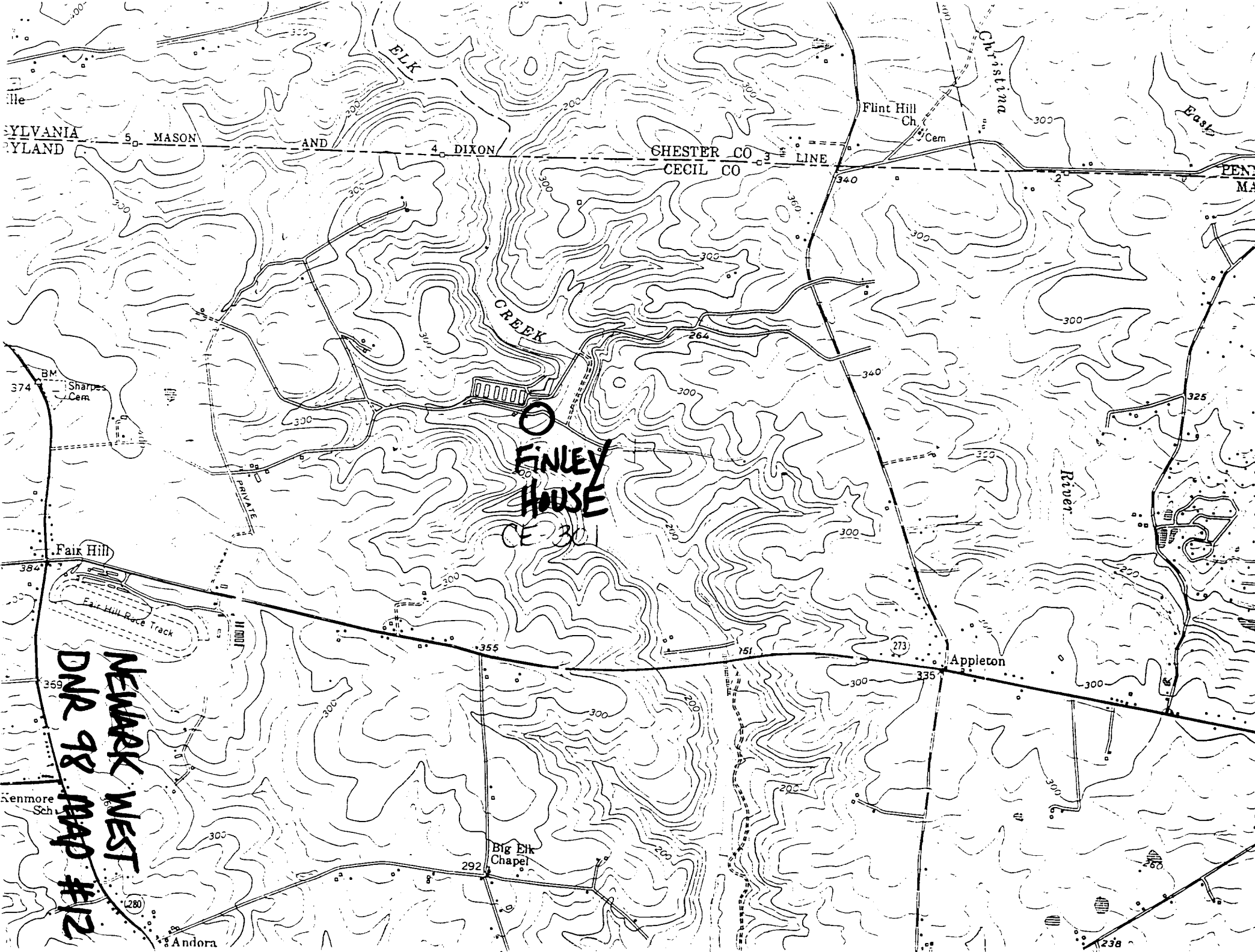


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Finley House (Fair Hill Nature Center)
Cecil County, MD
C. Mazurek
June 1998
Section 7.1

Addendum

The Finley House is located in Cecil County, within the Fair Hill N.R.M.A., and west of the Big Elk Creek Covered Bridge (CE-238).

Since the last historic sites survey was completed in 1979 the house structurally has remained in the same condition. It now has a new function as the Fair Hill Nature Center, where school children are brought in for the day to learn environmental lessons. The Finley House is in excellent condition with maintenance undertaken regularly.



PA
MD
WV
MASON AND DIXON
CHESTER CO CECIL CO
PENN MA

BM 374
Sharpes
Cem

Fair Hill

Fair Hill Race Track

Kenmore Sch

Andora

FINLEY
HOUSE
CE 301

Big Elk
Chapel

Flint Hill
Ch
Cem

Christina

East

River

Appleton

NEWARK WEST
DNR 98 MAP #12



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COMPOUND.)

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FAIR HILL ENVIRONMENTAL NATURE CENTER AND FEED MILL
COMPLEX (FINLEY COMPOUND)


CECIL COUNTY, MD.

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1. STATE Maryland COUNTY Cecil TOWN Fair Hill VICINITY STREET NO.		HISTORIC AMERICAN BUILDINGS SURVEY INVENTORY CE-301	
ORIGINAL OWNER ORIGINAL USE dwelling PRESENT OWNER PRESENT USE dwelling WALL CONSTRUCTION stone NO. OF STORIES 2		2. NAME Finley House DATE OR PERIOD 20th Cent. STYLE Colonial ARCHITECT BUILDER	
4. NOTABLE FEATURES, HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE AND DESCRIPTION		3. FOR LIBRARY OF CONGRESS USE	
OPEN TO PUBLIC NO			
<p>The Finley House was standing vacant for several years before Mr. William DuPont had need of it. When he finally looked at the structure it was found to be in poor condition and so it was taken down and completely re-erected on the old foundation plus a wing at each end.</p> <p>As it exists, it is a two story stone structure with large chimney within the end gables. A one story wing is added on each gable.</p> <p>It has a better location than its neighboring "Beens House" and is on the west side of the main branch of the Big Elk Creek overlooking a wide meadow.</p> <p>West of the house is a stone bank barn which appears to be the same approximate size as the Beem's House Barn, although there is no date plaque.</p>			
5. PHYSICAL CONDITION OF STRUCTURE Endangered NO Interior Exterior good			
<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div>  6. LOCATION MAP (Plan Optional) </div> <div> 7. PHOTOGRAPH </div> </div>			
3. PUBLISHED SOURCES (Author, Title, Pages) INTERVIEWS, RECORDS, PHOTOS, ETC.		9. NAME, ADDRESS AND TITLE OF RECORDER	
Visited and photographed by Michael O. Bourne, 11/12/71		DATE OF RECORD	

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION AND PHOTOGRAPH MAY BE ADDED ON SHEET OF SAME SIZE

PENNSYLVANIA
MARYLAND

5 MASON

AND

4 DIXON

CHESTER CO
CECIL CO
3 LINE

DNR- MCCLARY HOUSE
CE-771

BUNTING HOUSE
CE

DNR-33 SCHOOL HOUSE
CE-758

DNR-28 MCMASTER HOUSE
CE-362

DNR-1417 BARN, FEED MILL

DNR-13 HAY LOFT
CE-300-C

DNR-47 BARN

DNR-45 HOUSE

DNR-50

NEW COVERED BRIDGE

DNR-03, 93, TRACK STRUCTURES

CE-552

DNR-103 CLUB

CE-75

DNR 90-102 TRACK

STRUCTURES CE-552

DNR-04 FINLEY BARN

DNR-03 CAR TAKERS
HOUSE

DNR-02 FINLEY HSE

CE-301

DNR-01 COVERED
BRIDGE CE-238

DNR-72 HOUSE CE-544

DNR-12 SMOKE HOUSE

CE-300-13

DNR-10 BEERS HOUSE

CE-300-1

DNR-11 BEERS BARN

CE-300-A

DNR 51 HOUSE

DNR 53 STABLES

DNR 56 STONE HOUSE CE-363

DNR 64 STONE STABLES CE-366

Big Elk
Chapel

TYSON HOUSE

RUINS CE-527

GAYLEN HOUSE

RUINS CE-517

COVERED BRIDGE

SITE CE-516

SCOTT MILL DAM

HOUSE RUINS

SCOTT MILL RUINS

CE

Cowe

Providence

Kenmore
Sch

Andora

BM

352

Grimes

5863 III NW
(BAY VIEW)

LITTLE
ELK

SANT HILL 1.5 MI.

Newark West
quad

CE-301



Finley House
Near Fair Hill
Northwest Elevation
MOB/1971
NEG - MD. Hist. Trust

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House west bank of Big Elk nr Cov. Bridge
1976 CE 301 Finley House
Fair Hill, MD.

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